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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Final Office Action dated September 2, 2003 and the Advisory Action mailed December 5, 2002.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed simultaneously herewith.

A check is attached in the amount of \$205.00 for the government fee for a second extension of time for a small entity. Any additional fees or overpayment should be charged/credited to the account of the undersigned (Account No. 50-1716). Duplicate copy is attached.

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